

# DIRT ROAD CONDITIONS

**CAUTION:** Road conditions can change at any time! Know and respect your own skill level and the limits of your vehicle! **Avoid driving into mud!** Road Conditions were last updated 2/16/19.

ROAD NAME	2 Wheel Drive	4 Wheel Drive		Good	Poor	Closed	Comment
Coyote Canyon							
To Desert Garden						X	Lower Coyote Canyon Road is CLOSED by Superintendent's Order due to flooding! Upper Coyote Canyon is very rugged; Requires Skill & Caution!
Desert Garden to Bypass Road						X	
Bypass Road						X	
Collins Valley						X	
Turkey Track Grade		X			X		
Borrego Badlands Rockhouse Cyn							
Font's Point Wash		X		X			4WD; soft sand—stay in roadbed
Inspiration Wash		X			X		Sandy entrance; 4x4 only into Dump Wash
Thimble/Short/Ella Washes		X			X		Very soft sand in Short and Ella Washes
Hills of the Moon Wash		X			X		4WD Hi Clearance; deep soft sand
Palo Verde Wash		X			X		Soft sand, Rocks, Rough
Arroyo Salado to 17 Palms		X		X			Soft sand at primitive camp and beyond; road is rocky; some clearance needed
Coachwhip		X		X			Sandy entrance
Palm Wash		X			X		Washouts to the east
Truckhaven south of S22		X			X		High Clearance 4x4
Rockhouse/Butler Cyns <small>(2WD OK as far as Quarry; good road)</small>		X			X		Sandy near entrance to Butler Canyon
Culp Valley; Yaqui Well							
Culp Valley Campground	X			X			Graded; overall good
Old Culp Valley Road		X			X		Very rutted
Jasper Trail		X			X		Deep Ruts. High Clearance needed. rough near Angelina Springs
Grapevine Canyon	CLOSED					X	Flood damaged 2/14/19
Yaqui Well		X			X		Soft sand to Yaqui Well
Plum Canyon	X			X			2WD stay right at fork
Lizard Wash		X		X			High clearance, rocky
Pinyon Wash		X			X		Deep soft sand; hard to find after Nolina Split
Nolina Wash		X			X		Sand, sharp rocks
Quartz Vein		X			X		Deep soft sand
Nude Wash		X		X			Soft sand
Mine Wash to Village Site	X	recommended			X		Use caution: sand, rocks
Mine Wash Beyond Village Site		X			X		soft sand, rocky

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DIRT ROAD CONDITIONS

CAUTION: Always use 4WD and Care after rains and be prepared for flooding. 4WD is advised for most dirt roads in the Park! Road Conditions were last updated 2/16/19.

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Blair Valley							
Blair Valley	X			X			Soft sand, mud in some areas. Road to the Pictographs trail requires high clearance.
Pinyon Mountain Road		X			X		Rough; very long stretch of deep soft sand
Oriflamme / Rodriquez Canyons		X			X		Rutted; deep sand in spots; some rock obstacles
Borrego Buttes & Fish Creek							
Buttes Pass Rd to The Slot	X			X			Passable for 2WD; stay on road
Buttes Pass Rd to Hawk Cyn		X		X			Sandy
San Felipe Wash		X			X		Rough; washouts; soft sand
Goat Trail		X			X		Rutted washouts high clearance
Old Kane Springs Road		X			X		Rough road; soft sand and boulders. Harper Canyon is 4x4
Elephant Tree Trail Rd.		X		X			High clearance recommended boulders
Fish Creek to Wind Caves Trail		X			X		Very rough road due to flood; rocks and soft sand; 4WD and High clearance required.
Split Mtn to Olla Wash		X			X		Rough: boulders,sand,rockfalls
Lycium Wash		X			X		Entry into North Fork requires 4x4 with high clearance
Oyster Shell Wash		X			X		
North Fork Fish Creek		X			X		Closed at Mollusk Wash due to rockfall
Sandstone Canyon Rock fall ½ mile in*		X					Rockfalls limit vehicle access to wilderness boundary
Olla Wash		X		X			Soft sand
Blow Sand Canyon		X			X		Soft sand; deep sand
Borrego Mountain Wash		X		X			Steep drop-off
Borrego Sink Wash		X			X		Soft sand; deep sand
Bow Willow Area							
Arroyo Tapiado / Arroyo Seco del Diablo		X			X		Soft sand; fresh slides
Vallecito Wash/Palm Spring		X			X		Soft sand Closed 7.7 mi fromS-2
Bow Willow Camp		X			X		No water. Road is sandy.
Mountain Palm Springs		X			Fair		Watch for sandtraps! 4WD Only
Indian Gorge		X			X		Rocky; high clearance
Indian Valley		X		X			High clearance
Carrizo Canyon		X			X		Soft sand
Bow Willow Wash Road		X			X		Deep soft sand; Closed~4.7mi from S-2
South Carrizo Creek Rd.		X			X		Soft sand, deep at intersections
Canyon Sin Nombre		X			X		Soft sand; rocky
Mortero / Jojoba Washes		X			X		Soft sand
Carrizo Marsh	AREA CLOSED					X	Closed by Superintendent's Order

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